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Good morning, Leila, thanks for your note. Our Board sessions are customarily closed press, as we find that approach creates fewer distractions. In the actual Board meeting when the Secretary would speak, we would anticipate approximately 225 senior level industry executives, including roughly 50 chief executive officers from our membership. I am copying a colleague internally who can send you the entire registration list from our most recent Board meeting in September in Colorado Springs...which would give you a very good snapshot of who's likely to attend in January. Happy also to discuss any of this at your convenience. Thanks and best regards, Jim

Sent from my iPad

On Oct 30, 2017, at 8:40 PM, Getto, Leila <leila_getto@ios.doi.gov> wrote:

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Thanks Jim! Two quick questions -- would his remarks be open or closed to press (we have no preference - i'm just asking so I have all the details? Any chance you have a tentative list of invitees to better understand how many people and who usually attends? I hope to have an answer for you in the next couple of weeks.

Thanks for your patience.

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On Wed, Oct 25, 2017 at 5:09 PM, Owen, James <JOwen@eei.org> wrote:

Greetings, Leila:

I hope this finds you well. As we discussed this past summer, we are eager to rekindle our invitation to Secretary Zinke to speak before the EEI Board of Directors, this time at the Fairmont Scottsdale Princess in Arizona, either on Wednesday, January 10, or the morning of Thursday, January 11.

Attached please find a formal letter to Secretary Zinke from EEI President Tom Kuhn extending the invitation, which includes the fundamental details. Please don't hesitate to contact me at any time by email or mobile phone, 202 256 8447, with any questions. Many thanks in advance,

Jim